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¶1. (SBU) Charge delivered President Obama's invitation to a meeting to be held on September 23, during the UN General Assembly (UNGA), for the leaders of the top UN peacekeeper-contributing countries (Ref A) to Nepalese Prime Minister Madhav Kumar Nepal. Rajan Bhattarai, the PM's foreign policy adviser, will formally confirm the PM's participation with post as soon as a decision is made. The PM expressed his gratitude for the invitation, which Charge extended at the beginning of a meeting on September 4 (septel).

¶2. (SBU) PM Nepal shared his tentative schedule for UNGA during a meeting with Charge on September 4.

- September 21: Arrive in New York.
- September 22: Attend climate change session.
- September 23: Attend UK-sponsored event.
- September 24: Speak at Columbia University.
- September 25 or 26: Speak to members of the Nepali community.
- September 26: Depart New York for Kathmandu via Doha to be home in time for an important Nepalese family holiday.

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